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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Part B for October 1916

SUBJECT.

Proposals regarding the addressing of the communications from the Residency to the Secretariat to Govt.

sl 5 To the ~~2nd~~ Resident.
letter States that the durbar accepts modifications suggested by the Resident & they will be glad if necessary instructions are issued to bring the change into force from 1 Dec 1916.

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FILE HEADING.

Communications from the Residency to be addressed to the Secretaries to Govt – Proposals

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1 With refce to the subject of the F.A.R addressing communications in ordinary cases to the Secretaries to Govt, instead of to the Dewan, the following arrangements are suggested (as received by Secy from the Residency)

a) All communications, which are replies to letters from the Durbar may be addressed to the Secretary to Govt who wrote the letter on behalf of the Durbar.

b) Communications which originate a correspondence may be addressed to the Genl. Secy.

2 Note - This arrangement is suggested for the following reasons.

i The Secretary who is to deal with a particular subject cannot be easily determined by the Residency, as the distribution of work between the Secretaries changes from time to time.

ii The Genl. Secretary would ordinarily be the officer to deal with Residency communications as most of them pertain to his depts, namely Judicial and General (eg. extradition, visits of important persons, military questions)

iii Communications which he cannot deal with himself, the Genl Secretary

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words of course transfer to the proper quarter.

e) Communications on very important or strictly confidential matters may be addressed to the Dewan.

d) Communication should be by letter on both sides, but the form of endorsement may be adopted (As is now done by the Residency) where papers, in original or copy, have to be forwarded without much comment.

Secy) 3 NM 21/8/16

Dague. A D.O on the above terms may be written by the Dewan to the Raja the Resl. Draft put up. Dewan 4/8

4 the draft to the Resident may be approved.

Dewan) Dewan 28/8 NM

Draft put up: Secy 12/8/16

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Bangalore
29th August 16

Mirza M. Ismail Esq

My dear Sir;

I send herewith for favour of His Highness' approval or otherwise, the draft of a DO letter which it is proposed to address to the Hon'ble Mr Cobb, in the matter of ~~addressing~~ Residency communications for the Residency intended for the Durbar -

Under present arrangements, all communications, including those which concern mere routine matters, are addressed to the Dewan, with the result that much of his time is unnecessarily

taken away in dealing
with comparatively un-
-important matters -
To obviate this & to
ensure prompt attention
in all cases it is sug-
-gested that the Dewan
may be addressed in
only important and
confidential matters
the First Assistant to
the Hon'ble the Resident
addressing the Secretary
concerned or the General
Secretary, in other cases -
The Hon'ble the Resident
will of course continue
to address only the Dewan
as heretofore -

Yours sincerely

S.F.A. KV

(Signed)

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No. 3877/6

PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

THE PALACE,
BANGALORE.

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Secretary
To issue after
formal sanction
3.9.16

30th August 1916.

My dear Sir,

I am directed to return the papers forwarded with your letter of the 29th with reference to communications from the Residency to the Government of Mysore. His Highness approves of the draft to the Residency as slightly revised here under his orders, and it may issue now.

Yours sincerely
Mirza M. Ismail

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Sir M. Visvesvaraya, K.C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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1	To the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore D.O. No 4336 dt 12/9/16. Suggests a modification in the matter of addressing Residency Communications intended for the Govt of Mysore. Viz. (1) Important & strictly confidential matters to be addressed to Dewan (2) Other matters to be addressed to the Secretary to Govt (3) In ~~case~~ merely forwarding papers to Residency, endorsement form to be used and in all other cases, letter form
2	From the Hon'ble the Resident D.O. dt 12/9/16. Notes that the Changes proposed will receive his careful and sympathetic Consideration

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3	From The Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore D.O. No 7331 Dt 18/10/16. States that he is prepared to meet the wishes of the Durbar with some modifications and enquires whether the instructions may be issued accordingly.
4	To The Hon'ble the Resident D.O. No 4372 Dt 19/10/16. Acknowledges the letter with thanks and states that a reply will be sent early.

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REPLY.

(To be written on this margin.)

Office of the Dewan of Mysore.

NOTE.

Dated 19th October 1916.

D.O. letter No.7331 dated the 18th October 1916, from the Hon'ble Mr. Cobb, regarding the change of procedure in the mode of addressing Residency communications, with the reply thereto.

Forwarded to the Secretary, General Department, for favour of a note with a draft reply to the Hon'ble the Resident. The matter may be kindly treated as - urgent.

19.10.16

The Secretary, General Deptt.

Rep - Draft annexed
20/10/16

Enclosed with References also a draft reply to the Resident — also a draft letter to the Private Secy thereto
20/10/16

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Rules as finally settled may be typed in one place only
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21.10.16

11 Secy)
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13 Resubmitted with the further correspondence ending with the Dewan's D.O. No 4387 dated 26.10.16 to the Hon'ble the Resident on the subject of B. V. Lakshmana Rao
30.10.16.

Subd.
21/10/16

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Mysore
22.10.16
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To

R.H.Campbell Esq.,C.I.E.,
Private Secretary to H.H. the
Maharaja of Mysore.

My dear Sir,

In forwarding the accompanying papers on the mode of addressing Residency communications to the Govt. of His Highness the Maharaja, I request/to the reference Hon'ble Mr.Cobb's demi-official letter No.7331 dated the 18th instant. Mr.Cobb agrees to our proposals but makes certain reservations which, I think, may be agreed to. I attach the draft of a repl which it is proposed to issue. I shall be obliged if you will kindly obtain His Highness' approval thereto.

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Yours sincerely,

22.10.16

Dewan.

D. O. No. F 3948

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THE PALACE,
MYSORE.
24th October 1916.
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My dear Sir,

In returning herewith the file of papers relating to communications from the Residency to the Durbar, forwarded with your D.O. letter No.H.129 of yesterday's date, I am directed to say that His Highness approves of a reply being sent to the Resident on the lines indicated in the draft letter on the file.

Put up herewith.
C&R

Yours sincerely,

Sir M.Visvesvaraya K.C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Mysore.

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	5	Do. The Hon'ble Mr H.V. Cobb No. 4387 S dt 26.10.1 informs that the Durbar accept the modifications suggested & the change will be bro into operation from 1.12.16 & conveys the g the Govt. for complying with the request of

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	Dupl Secret 6/11
	Secretariat Services suggest sheet-roging bodies Dues 6/11 W 4/11/16
	This may be communicated to all Secretaries & Branches for information & guidance. Draft Subd KV. 8/11 VS Draft Submitted UJ 10/11/16 Approved. Print & issue Dues 10/11 UJ 10/11/16
B	6 Do. The Secretaries to Govt no. G 6060-S. dt 14.11.16 Communicates the arrangements Effected between the Residency & the Govt. in the matter

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No. 4336

Bangalore
12th Sept. 16.

My dear Mr Cobb,

In continuation of the conversation we had on the subject, the Durbar desire to suggest for your consideration the adoption of the following procedure in the matter of addressing Residency communications intended for the ~~Durbar~~ Government of Mysore:-

30/8/16

i. On very important and strictly confidential matters, the Dewan may be addressed.

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ii. In all other cases, the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident may address his communications to the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja, who may have conducted the previous correspondence, or if there be no previous correspondence, to the Secretary in the General Department.

iii. Communications both from and to the Residency will as usual be by letter, but in cases where all that is required is to forward papers, with little or no comment, the Durbar will find it a convenience to adopt the form of endorsement that is generally employed by the Residency in such circumstances,

I need hardly assure you that these proposals are only intended to facilitate business, and that under the arrangement now suggested, Residency communications will continue to receive the same amount of close attention which the Durbar have always been bestowing upon them.

Yours

then.

Yours sincerely,

Dewan.

The Hon'ble Mr. H.V. Cobb, C.S.I., C.I.E.

Procedure in the matter of correspondence with the Residency, agreed to tentatively for one year from 1st December 1916.

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1. The Dewan will be addressed in such cases only as the Hon'ble the Resident may consider suitable.

2. In all other cases, the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident may address his communications to the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja, who may have conducted the previous correspondence, or if there be no previous correspondence, to the Secretary in the General Department.

3. Communications both from and to the Residency will as usual be by letter, but in cases where all that is required is to forward papers with little or no comment, the Durbar may adopt the form of endorsement that is generally employed by the Residency in such circumstances.

DIARY NO. 4008

D. O. No. 7/3905

THE RESIDENT MYSORE

THE RESIDENCY,

BANGALORE.

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12. 9. 16.

Ans 13/9 Rec 14/9

My dear Sir Visvesvaraya,

I am in receipt of your d. o. letter No. 4336 dated the 12th inst. in regard to encroachments by the Residency on H. H.'s Government.

I need scarcely say that changes proposed will receive my careful and sympathetic consideration.

Yours sincerely

H. V. Cobb.

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DIARY NO. 4009

D. O. No. 23924
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BANGALORE.
18th October, 1916.

D. O. No. 7331.

My dear Sir Visvesvaraya,

Please refer to your demi-official letter No. 4336, dated the 12th ultimo, regarding a proposed change of procedure in the present mode of addressing Residency communications to the Government of Mysore.

I have given the case my careful consideration and in the hope expressed by you 'of facilitating business' I am glad to meet your wishes subject to the following reservations.

Point (1). I should prefer that the proposed rule should run as follows:-

(i) The Dewan will be addressed in such cases only as the Resident may consider suitable.

In ordinary practice this rule will work out much on the lines indicated by you. But I should prefer that no hard and fast rule be laid down, and that my discretion in this respect should be left unfettered.

Secondly, I should prefer that the change of procedure should be introduced tentatively for one year with effect from the 1st December 1916 at the close of which the question can be decided finally in the light of the experience thus gained.

3. Please let me know at your convenience whether you wish me to issue instructions to my Office to the above effect.

Yours sincerely

H.V. Cobb

Sir M.Visvesvaraya, K.C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

D. O. No. 4372

Issued. 11 Despatched 19 Oct 1916

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My dear Mr. Cobb,

The Durbar are much obliged to you for your D.O. letter No. 7331 of the 18th instant regarding the proposed change of procedure in the mode of addressing Residency communications. I have called for the papers on the subject and ~~me~~ hope to send you an early reply.

Yours sincerely,

19.10.16. Dewan.

D. O. No. 4387

Bangalore 18
26 October 1916.
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My dear Mr. Cobb,

In continuation of my demi-official letter No.4372 dated the 19th instant, on the mode of addressing Residency communications to the Government of Mysore, I write to state that the Durbar accept the modifications suggested in your letter No.7331 dated the 18th instant, and they will be glad if necessary instructions are issued to bring the change of procedure into operation from the 1st December 1916.

I wish to convey to you the best thanks of ~~the Durbar~~ His Highness' Government for ~~so readily~~ kindly complying with their wishes ~~in~~ as readily in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Dewan.

To

The Hon'ble Mr. H.V.Cobb, C.S.I., C.I.E.,

Resident in Mysore.

Confidential

S.O. No. 6060-S. dt. 14.11.16

G.m. 342-16-6

13/11 G.m. 342-16-6

Official Memorandum.

The Hon'ble the Resident has agreed to adopt tentatively for a period of one year from 1st December 1916 the following procedure in the mode of addressing Residency communications to the Govt. of H.H.the Maharaja of Mysore:-

(a) The Dewan will be addressed in such cases only as the Hon'ble the Resident may consider suitable.

(b) In all other cases, the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident will address his communications to the Secretary to the Govt. of H.H.the Maharaja who may have conducted the previous correspondence, or if there be no previous correspondence to the Secretary in the General Department.

2. The Hon'ble the Resident has also agreed that, in regard to communications from the Government of H.H.the Maharaja to the Residency, the form of endorsement that is generally employed by the Residency may be adopted where all that is required is to forward papers with little or no comment, while in all other cases communications will, as usual, be by letter.

" By Order "

13/11

Genl. Secy.

To

The Secy.to Govt.Fl.Dept.

10/11/16

The Secy. to Govt.,Rev.Dept.
" E & A Depts.
" P.W.Dept.
" Ry.Dent.

Copy to Branches I - VIII, Council Section, Dewan's Office, Officers in charge of Branches, and Members of Council.

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Correspondence.

No. G. 6060-5—G. M. 342-16-6, DATED 14TH NOVEMBER 1916.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM.

No. G. 6060-5—G. M. 342-16-6, dated 14th November 1916.

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By Order,
D. M. NARASINGA RAO,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. Dept.

To—The Secretary to Government, Financial Department.
The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Secretary to Government, Education and Agricultural Departments.
The Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.
The Secretary to Government, Railway Department.

Exd.—R. K.

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Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

~~G. O.~~ No. G. 6060-5—G. M. 342-16-6, dated 14th Nov. 1916

Correspondence.

Procedure in the matter of — between the Residency and the Government of His Highness the Maharaja.

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